

wherein each graphic representation of the instance of the action component is associated with at least one graphic representation of the action date component by way of the visual programming interface component, thereby associating instances of the object model components in the same manner as their graphic representations.

24. The system of Claim 22, wherein the means for generating an instance of the object model component generates:

- a graphic representation of each instance of the action date component;
- a graphic representation of each instance of the action list component;
- a graphic representation of each instance of the action component; and

wherein each graphic representation of the instance of the action component is associated with at least one graphic representation of the action list component and each graphic representation of the instance of the action list component is associated with at least one of the graphic representation of the action date component or action list component by way of the visual programming interface component, thereby associating instances of the object model components in the same manner as their graphic representations.

### REMARKS

Pursuant to recent telephone conversations with the Examiner, Applicant requests the entry of this Amendment D by Examiner's Amendment and that all claims herein be passed to issue. Applicant consents to the withdrawal of the pending appeal upon the Patent Office's representation that that this Amendment D will be entered in its entirety by Examiner's Amendment and that the then pending claims will all be allowed and the Application be passed to issue.

All pending claims are included above for the convenience of the Examiner in making the Examiner's Amendment, including those that have not been amended. As

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requested by the Examiner, claims marked "Amended" are the claims as they stand amended by this Amendment D. The offered Objection to claims 3, 9 and 11 have been met by the amendment of claims 2, 9 and 11, which are now all independent. The remaining amendments are made in a effort to clarify language used in the combination of the objected claims and not in response to any citation of prior art by the Patent Office. Applicant appreciates the sharp eye of the Examiner in identifying minor errors in spelling and the reference of antecedents. Three dependant claims have been added.

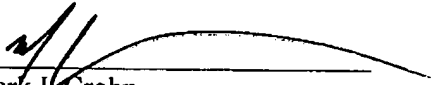
Applicant respectfully maintains his traversal of the rejection of claims as recited before this Amendment D. Applicant expressly reserves the right to reassert the subject matter of these claims in a continuation application.

Form PTO-2038 (Credit Card Payment Form) is transmitted herewith to pay any required fees caused by the addition of claim count. Applicant appreciates the Examiner's care in making sure that this form is transferred to the appropriate authority and is not maintained as part of the public record or any other system available to unauthorized individuals.

Applicant would further like to express his appreciation for the Examiner's prompt, professional and courteous communication with the undersigned.

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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